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THE

PULSE

featuring

"the Unshaved Leg"

"Pulse Report"

"Careers Night"

"Social Report"

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THE UNSHAVED LEG BY- Vivienne Gornall

In first year I had an English teacher we called 'Beautiful Bob'  
He had a passion for Dylan Thomas. So I tried his poems and writings.  
They are great! This is just one of his many poems.

In My Craft or Sullen Art

In my craft or sullen art  
Exercised in the still night  
When only the moon rages  
And the lovers lie abed  
With all their griefs in their arms,  
I labour by singing light  
Not for ambition or bread  
Or the strut and trade of charms  
On the ivory stages  
Of their most secret heart.

Not for the proud man apart  
From the raging moon I write  
On these spindrift pages  
Nor for the towering dead  
With their nightingales and psalms  
But for the lovers, their arms  
Round the griefs of the ages  
Who pay no praise or wages  
Nor heed my craft or art.

-DYLAN THOMAS

Come to.

CAREERS NIGHT

Wednesday February 10th

7-10p.m.

Come and see what our Grads are doing:

- bedside nursing
- public health
- teaching
- administration
- frontier nursing
- ????????????

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-COME AND FIND OUT- Feb. Wed. 10th  
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Following are the reports from the student committees for the 1970-71. Each chairwoman was requested to submit comments on some or all of these points:

- a) list the projects or events to date plus those planned for the future.
- b) Briefly evaluate the past projects or events outlining student participation, problems, and successes.
- c) state reasons why they are or are not a service to the school.
- d) class representatives on each committee
- e) combined committees for better organization, effort and participation
- f) temporary or permanent discontinuation of a particular committee
- g) combined class president and student council representative.

#### Social Committee Report

The social committee consists of a social chairwoman, plus reps from each basic, past-basic, and public health class. The social committee is responsible for three main activities during the school year- the initiation tea, staff-student Christmas party, and formal, plus any other social activities which might arise. With the help of the entire student body, the committee is also responsible for raising money for these events by means of various projects.

- initiation tea- good turnout of staff and students
- the first project, which was the fudge sale, was a failure
- chocolate bar drive was more successful. Final proceeds have not yet been tallied, but we should have made between \$400-\$500.
- finally, the school sold a total of 106 Passport to Toronto booklets and thus made \$106 for the Yearbook.
- Christmas Party- there was an attendance of less than one quarter of the school
- final event of the year- is the formal, which is to be held Feb. 5th. Ticket sales have been excellent, and all of the 125 tickets have now been sold.
- other dances were not organized this year due to a lack of funds, time, and too much competition.
- there should be social reps from each class, in addition to a chairwoman. There is too much work for one or two individuals to do. Reps can announce information to their classes and get feedback to the committee, collect money from projects, and advertise and organize events.

-By Arlene Connell BIII

#### The Blue and Gold Committee

The Blue and Gold serves the school by making momentos reminiscent of undergraduate days available to the students.

Projects- Homecoming Float  
Selling of Christmas cards

(cont'd)



Selling of pins and rings  
Selling of sweatshirts  
Send Willie to camp

So far, the projects completed have gone reasonably well. Interest in the Homecoming Float was minimal, but everyone who did take part considered it a success in every way.

Reps from each class are definitely needed on the B&G committee, since we need contact with every person in each class. The reps notify the school about sales deadlines, and help to order and distribute goods. If the structure within the B&G were altered, perhaps, we could function effectively with two or three members, and increase use of signs and posters to spread the Blue and Gold word.

By Mary Wallis BII

### Yearbook Report

The major project that the yearbook has undertaken is getting the pages into the publisher on time. Advertising has been supported almost wholly by BIII. Pretty well anyone who does anything at all for the yearbook comes to the layout sessions on Saturday mornings and the work is supportive and communal.

- participation was sketchy- students have been unco-operative in showing up for pictures, especially PB's girls. Teaching staff have been elusive and held up a deadline with their evasive techniques concerning getting together for a picture.
- what is needed is a better communication process.
- vote on the yearbook- DO THE STUDENTS REALLY WANT ONE?
- reps- needed from each class
  - accept money for the orders
  - relay information

I cannot see yearbook combined with any other committee unless a "Communications Committee" were set up to include Pulse, Yearbook, etc. The long range interpretations of this idea are interesting.

By Joy Ann Bazar BIII

### Student Services Committee

- Projects- 1) Canadian Red Cross Blood Donor Drive  
2) Canvassing for the Ontario Heart Foundation

Blood Donor Drive:- held at various centres across Uof T campus in November 1970 and coming in March 1971.

- student participation again was rather poor, approximately 80 students donated blood in the November drive.
- special reps from each class are not required as information can be passed through class presidents

Heart Drive:- Canvassing to go on next month (February)-12 volunteers

- Class presidents were used to impart information, no

real need for representatives from each class  
Student Services Committee could be functional in almost any direction if an adequate outline of responsibilities could be channelled from other committees.

By Lise Jensen BIII

### Pulse Report 1970-71

Projects:-1) There have been 10 PULSE issues to date with 4 more to go  
2) Short stencils, paper, pens, staples, etc, have been provided for work on class seminars.  
3) The above have also been provided for personal use.

#### Evaluation:

- 1) PULSE- fair to good participation  
- cost is low but wastage of paper is high
- 2) PULSE room supplies for seminar use - Little wastage  
- good co-operation by students in signing for stencils and paper  
- excellent co-operation from business staff in replacing supplies used for seminars
- 3) PULSE room supplies for personal use - again, very little wastage and good co-operation in accounting for supplies.

#### Equipment and supplies:

- A.B. Dick mimeographer works great
- 2 older typewriters have been repaired
- Photocopier and its equipment is simply a dust-catcher. Disposal of some sort is recommended.
- very few stencils have been wasted.

Service to students: -the paper provides a means of communication and student expression. It could be used by more people within the school, including faculty; for notices of future events, etc.

Representatives:-Having a rep. from each class is probably the easiest method of obtaining a PULSE staff. Each representative provides from his or her class the necessary typists machine operators and collators. This leaves the rep free to obtain the articles, to maintain the equipment and supplies, and to assist others in using them.

By Gayle Mitchell PBIII

## Athletic Council

### Events at interfaculty level:

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|----------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. tennis tournament       | 7. curling team     |
| 2. swim meet               | 8. skiing           |
| 3. gymnastics meet         | 9. basketball       |
| 4. field hockey tournament | 10. volleyball      |
| 5. ice hockey tournament   | 11. bowling         |
| 6. badminton tournament    | 12. golf tournament |

### Events sponsored by S. of N.:

1. mixed athletic nite

### EVALUATION : interfaculty activities

1. tennis tournament: -held early in school year  
-8 people from S of N participated  
-weather and timetable pose the biggest problem in scheduling this event
2. swim meet: -5 people from S of N participated  
-competitive nature poses problem
3. field hockey: -defaulted due to morning games & poor communications
4. ice hockey: -we are coming on strong in this sport if we can only continue to get people to come out and play
5. curling team: -defaulted -- few curlers in S of N
6. basketball: -we are putting a team on the court every game and hopefully this will continue  
-success attributed to athletic rep
7. golf: -early in term  
-no participation

problems-contacting enough people to put a team in the league  
-lack of organization within the S of N Athletic Council  
-lack of communication within and without council

### EVALUATION : S. of N sponsored events

- participation - very poor -- 5 girls not on athletic council  
7 athletic council members  
5 husbands or boyfriends (remainder were devonshire boys)  
1 Miss Wilson
- problems - same night as 3rd year stats tutorial & daffydil  
- end of term  
- Thursday night and Friday clinicals  
- general lack of interest
- communication - posters  
- contact by council members  
- class announcements  
- pulse
- people that did turn out enjoyed themselves making it a real event

### SERVICES - keep girls in touch with the WAB

- give students opportunity to participate in a variety of sports activities during school year
- team activities provide comradeship
- rewards sports excellence at the athletic council & awards banquet



Membership of Athletic Council -- 1 rep from each class, B & PB  
1 rep for each sport

I am not sure that this committee could be combined with any other because of the kinds of work we do. This committee should not be discontinued. It serves a useful function. I do feel however that the aims and objectives of this committee need revamping.

by Vera Isaac BIV

#### Basic Orientation Committee 1970 - 71

- Frosh registered after being taken to lunch by Big Sisters
- picnic at Toronto Island with sand-castle building contest
- Initiation September 14 - 16
- Kooky Kapers with Kangaroo Kourt: good attendance and a lot of fun
- Scavenger Hunt: - fair
- Orientation Committee sponsored dance at New College on September 19
- October 6 -- Potluck Dinner for Basic students and staff: crowded
- Drop-in -the-Bucket campaign: poor response from the School
- Sleep-in: very well attended

#### Recommendations:

- That the Orientation Committee have the Students' Council's backing in requesting that all elected Committee Chairmen prepare a resume of next year's activities and submit it by May 30, 1971 to the editor of the Nursing Handbook. In this way the Handbook can be a real fund of information for all students.
- That the Orientation leader be someone who lives in Toronto for better access to the school facilities during the summer.
- That committee chairman talk with first year students - instil some enthusiasm and encourage them to come out to various events and committees, so that first year students know what is going on at the beginning of the year.

By Jan Weegar, B III

Reports from the Post Basic Orientation Committee, Sneezles and the Education committee will be available in the next PULSE, Thursday, Feb. 11.

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#### ELECTIVES IN THE BASIC CURRICULUM

"Students are advised to take a sequence of courses in the same subject."

This statement will follow the description of the basic curriculum in the 1971 School of Nursing Calendar. The provision of more electives and a wider choice of courses within a subject in the revised basic curriculum has given students greater freedom to explore their own interests. In their third year many students elect to pursue subjects to which they have been introduced in either first or second year, enabling them to study these subjects in some depth. This also means that in their third year students are studying the elective subjects at a level in keeping with the rest of their programme. Another increasingly important consideration in students' long term planning should be the fact that admission requirements for graduate programmes place greater emphasis upon a sequence of courses in the same subject than upon a number of unrelated courses. All of these arguments for taking a sequence of courses in the same subject should be considered by students deciding upon their choice of electives.

C. Brehaut



# ELECTIONS!

SPEECHES → MON. FEB 8, 4-5PM

VOTE! ALL DAY TUES FEB 9  
WED. FEB 10

Before we can have the School of Nursing ELECTIONS, we need lots of nominations. The more the merrier. Sitting on the black counter partition in the lounge is a GREAT BIG BOX. Please put into it all your nomination slips. (The nomination slips are sitting beside it.) Also for those who do not know about the abolishment of the committees we have at present and the setting up of a new STUDENT SERVICES COMMITTEE, info. is sitting beside the GREAT BIG BOX.

## POSITIONS TO BE FILLED.....

STUDENTS COUNCIL: 1. PRESIDENT  
2. VICE PRESIDENT  
3. SECRETARY  
4. TREASURER  
5. SAC REP.  
STUDENT SERVICES: 6. A CHAIRMAN

FOR INFO. CONCERNING THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF ANY OF THESE POSITIONS, ASK THE PRESENT EXECUTIVE.

POSTERS can be put up any time starting NOW for those running for any of the above positions.

After Reading Week there will be the following positions to fill:

- 1) PULSE editor and Yearbook editor - apply to the Students' Council
- 2) 4 persons to serve on the Student's Services Committee with the elected
- 3) class elections for St. Council reps, chairman  
PULSE reps.  
Yearbook reps
- 4) lots of positions will be open on staff-student committees- list coming  
- apply to St. Council

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